

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA  
BILLINGS DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

KENNETH CRAZYMULE, JR.,

Defendant.

CR 23-16-BLG-SPW

ORDER GRANTING MOTION  
IN LIMINE

Before the Court is Defendant Kenneth Crazymlule, Jr.'s Motion in Limine. (Doc. 27). Crazymlule was charged on February 16, 2023, with two counts of assault resulting in substantial bodily injury to a dating or intimate partner, and two counts of assault with a dangerous weapon. (Doc. 1). His trial is scheduled for November 13, 2023. (Doc. 30).

Crazymlule's Motion in Limine seeks admission of two types of evidence at trial: (1) reputation or opinion evidence on the alleged victim's violent character under Federal Rule of Evidence 404(a)(2)(B); and (2) evidence of specific acts of violence by the alleged victim to show Crazymlule's state of mind during the instant offenses under Rule 405(b)(2). (Doc. 28).


The Government does not object to the admission of either type of evidence. (Doc. 33 at 2). The Government also notices its intent to offer testimony from

Jane Doe 2 regarding her opinion and/or the reputation of Crazy mule's violent character under Rule 404(a)(2)(B)(ii), and regarding Crazy mule's abuse of her and repeated claims that she was the instigator of the violence to show lack of accident or plan under Rule 404(b). (*Id.* at 4-5). Crazy mule did not file a reply.

Given the Government's lack of opposition to the motion and the conformity of both parties' requests with the Federal Rules of Evidence, the Court grants the motion and admits the at-issue evidence.

IT IS SO ORDERED that Defendant Kenneth Crazy mule, Jr.'s Motion in Limine (Doc. 27) is GRANTED.

DATED the 25<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2023.

  
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SUSAN P. WATTERS  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE